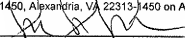


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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement in the Office Action dated June 15, 2009, Applicants have made a Provisional Election, as required, and further traverse of the Restriction Requirement and also include the following request for a reordering of the claims in the groups.